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distinction between whether you have to have a license or not when conducting telemedicine. The committee amendment...can I go to that now? Can I just go to the committee amendment?

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Wesely, thank you for your introduction. Mr. Clerk, we have amendments? Committee amendments from the Health Committee. Senator Wesely, would you open on the amendments. (AM0502 appears on page 780 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The committee amendment just deals with clarification of what "consultation" means so that we're clear about what we're involving here. And again, the concept is if a physician is consulting with another physician, providing advice, and this is a valuable tool, it isn't necessary that they be licensed as a physician here in this state. But if they're trying to treat patients over the phone, they need to be. And so this committee amendment just clarifies what "consultation" is. I'd ask for adoption of the committee amendment, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thanks, Senator Wesely. Senator Wesely, there are no lights on. Would you just do me a favor and hit your...never mind there. It's okay. Never mind. The board wasn't working. I didn't know if the board was working fully up here and we found out that it is. Senator Wesely, no further lights on. Are you waiving closing? The question before the body then, is shall LB 452 be advanced? All of those in favor vote aye. Opposed vote nay. Committee amendments. We're adopting the committee amendments. Thank you. The question is, shall the committee amendments be adopted? The question is, shall the committee amendments be adopted to LB 452? While we're waiting for members to record their vote, let me announce that Senator McKenzie has guests from Palmer Elementary School. There are 35 fifth and sixth grader students in the north balcony along with their teacher, Ms. Moeller. Can you please stand and be recognized. Mr. Clerk, please record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of committee amendments, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Committee amendments are adopted. Anything